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**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed on February 27, 2007, having a  
three-month shortened statutory period for response set to expire on May 27, 2007, please  
consider the following remarks.